

The Messenger

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OKOLONA, MISS., OCT. 1, 1902.

HARRIS' CIRCUIT.

W. H. Harris' Nickel Plate circus arrived at 7 o'clock this morning over the J. M. & I. from Madison. The show pitched its tents on the Gardner ground on south Main street, and the usual crowd of eager spectators saw the unloading of the wagons and the raising of the tents. The show comes direct from the south, where it spent the winter, and the horses and other live stock seemed greatly to enjoy the feast of fresh clover and grass to be had at the show grounds. The show is a northern institution, but has been wintering in the south for a number of years.—Columbus, Ind., May 5, 1902. Okolona October 10th.

GENUINE EXCURSIONS.

Metropolitan Pleasure for Everybody. Nearly every one living in this community will doubtless want to visit Tupelo on Monday, October 6, when the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' great consolidated shows, comprising double circuses, double menageries, double museums, double hippodromes, will appear there, giving one performance at 10 a. m. These great shows are the only ones that exhibit in New York City. No others dare even attempt to exhibit in the metropolis. They opened this season at the Madison Square Garden in New York, and the newspapers, without exception, stated that it was the greatest circus this country had ever seen. The menageries contain the greatest number of rare wild beasts ever seen in one collection. In the circuses there are 300 star performers, and in addition to all the standard circus acts there are a score or more of sensational features. There is not space to enumerate them here, but prominent among them may be mentioned the world-famous Diavolo, who performs the exceptionally wonderful feat of looping the loop on a bicycle, an act which has astonished the world; then there is Minton, the unicycle marvel, the famous Aurora Zouaves, wonderfully drilled soldiers; Dullie Julian, the renowned equestrienne; twenty-three champion bareback riders; Star, the shooting star, and the ten Peerless Pottery, world's greatest acrobats. All lines of travel will offer especially low rates of fare and provide all the necessary accommodations for the throngs who wish to go to see them. The agent of these lines of travel will furnish all necessary information as to time of trains and rates of fare. There is one thing certain, and that is that these excursion arrangements will enable people who live here to see identically the same show and the only one that is seen by those who live in the metropolis.

NEW USE FOR REFINED PARAFFINE WAX.

A new and important use for Refined Paraffine Wax seems to have been discovered by a prominent resident of Ohio, living near Lancaster, who had two trees badly damaged by storm, one being a maple and the other an apple. In each case a large limb was broken down from the trunk, but still attached to it. The limbs were propped up and fastened securely with straps, very much as a broken leg might be fastened with splints, and then melted refined wax poured into and over all the cracks. The "surgical operation" was entirely successful. The Paraffine prevented the escape of the sap, kept out the rain and moisture which would have rotted the trees, prevented the depredations of insects, and the limbs seem thus far to be perfectly re-attached to the trees.

The New Steel Ferry Boat "Pelican" now under construction at the Dubuque Iron Works for the Queen & Crescent Route will be completed and leave Dubuque about October 15th and be in service between Vicksburg and Delta about November 1st. This is the largest, strongest, and every way the best boat of its kind ever built for operation on the Mississippi river. It will fill a long-felt want as the Delta, now in operation, is no longer of sufficient capacity to properly handle the growing traffic. The Pelican is much larger and will doubtless be ample to accommodate all the business for several years. The Passenger and Freight traffic through the Shreveport gateway has grown to immense proportions, the increase during the past two years having been phenomenal. The establishment of the fast train and dining car service has made the boat very popular.

BULBS, BULBS!

Buy bulbs now. No express charges. Roman and Dutch hyacinths, freesias, tulips, paper white narcissus, sacred lilies, etc. Leave orders at Brown & Beardsley's. JNO. R. LAWS.

FOR RENT.

My residence on Adams street, also office lately occupied by Dr. Morgan, Keeney building, corner of Main and Center streets. J. J. K. EXELL.

The Evening Scimitar will publish the White Rose of Memphis as a serial, commencing with the issue of that popular daily of October 18th.

Misses Ida and Olivia Murfee visited in Egypt Sunday.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Mr. Carl Hartley, one of Okolona's bright young men, who has won himself a position of financial and business standing with the Chicago Portrait Co., is visiting his parents and many friends this week.

8 Cents

Eight cents a pound is what a young woman paid for twelve pounds of flesh.

She was thin and weak and paid one dollar for a bottle of Scott's Emulsion, and by taking regular doses had gained twelve pounds in weight before the bottle was finished.

Eight cents a pound is cheap for such valuable material. Some pay more, some less, some get nothing for their money. You get your money's worth when you buy Scott's Emulsion.

We will send you a little free.

SCOTT & BOWNE, CHEMISTS,

409 Pearl Street, New York.

50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

QUEEN & CRESCENT ROUTE

NEW ORLEANS & NORTH-EASTERN R.R.
ALABAMA & VICKSBURG RY.
VICKSBURG, SHREVEPORT & PACIFIC R.R.

—THE—

Best line to all Western points, including Dallas, Fort Worth.

Texarkana, Waco,

San Antonio and El Paso.

Dining cars enroute via Shreveport.

SOLID VESTIBULED TRAINS.

Elegant sleeping cars to New Orleans and Shreveport, also Buffet parlor cars and day coaches to Shreveport without charge.

Double Daily Service.

For full information call upon your nearest Ticket Agent, or address:

GEO. H. SMITH, G. P. A.,

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

R. J. ANDERSON, A. G. P. A.,

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

R. W. BONDS, T. P. A.,

Meridian, Miss.

THE VOLCANOE DEADLY WORK

From the Fall of Pompeii to the Destruction of St. Pierre, by Prof. Chas. Morris, L. L. D. Most intensely interesting book ever published. Complete, thrilling and accurate account of the greatest disaster that ever befell the human race—greater even than Pompeii. Tells how Martinique, one of the most beautiful islands in the world was suddenly transformed into a veritable hell about 500 pages, profusely illustrated with photographs taken before and after the disaster. Practically only "Martinique" book in the field for every one now insists on having Prof. Morris' book and no other. Best author, largest book, best illustrated, scientifically accurate. Price \$1.50. Agents Wanted. Enormous profits for those who act quickly. Most liberal terms. Outfit 10 cents. Don't lose a minute. Send for outfit IMMEDIATELY and be at work. The chance of a life time for making money. Clark & Co., 222 S. 4th St., Philadelphia, Pa. Mention this paper.

GOOD CROPS IN KANSAS.

Kansas is again experiencing a good crop of corn, wheat and oats. Notwithstanding that land values are advancing very rapidly, and are sure to be double their present value in less than two years, we have succeeded in securing the agency for a number of fine farms and ranches in Southern Kansas, the "garden spot of the state," which we will be able to offer very reasonable for a few weeks. Our little booklet, giving full descriptions and particulars, will be mailed free upon application. Address, THE KANSAS REALTY CO., Box 600, Orwego, Kas.

Mr. T. M. Walton was among those who went to Memphis last week.

TO OUR FRIENDS AND THE PUBLIC.

We desire to thank our many friends and customers for their liberal patronage during the past season, and to say that we are going to try harder this season than ever before to have the best things going, to eat. It is a well known fact that if we eat pure food we will always be healthy, happy, and well. We like things good to eat, and we know our customers are not unlike us. We have tried all through the summer to have something good by keeping a cold storage. This has not been very profitable to us, but we have succeeded in giving our customers something fresh all the time. We want to announce that the Fish and Oyster season will soon be here and we will be ready for it. We will have regular days for a few things:

Fresh fish will arrive Tuesday and Friday mornings.
Crabs Wednesday morning.
Fresh Oysters are received daily except Sunday.

Barring of all kinds.
Always on hand the best assortment of cheese on the market, viz: Cream, Swiss, Limburger, Pine Apple, etc.

Everybody comes to us for pickles, because we have the Stuffed Mangos, Dill's, Sweet mixed and Sour. We have used our best judgment in buying canned goods of every description.

Also have bought for the fall and winter trade the best dried fruits we could find.

We are sole agents for Lowrey's Candies for this territory.

All other goods, such as fresh fruits, cereal foods, crackers and cakes, we buy in small quantities in order to give the customer the freshest goods obtainable.

Yours, to please.

AZWELL & MCKINNEY.

Medical Talk, a Family Magazine.

Medical Talk is the name of one of the most recent of popular medical magazines for the home before the public today. It appears in a unique, up-to-date magazine cover, an ornament to any library table.

Medical Talk is in the fourth year of its existence and covers a field never before accomplished in journalism. This magazine undertakes to interpret to the people what is going on in the medical world as revealed by the numberless medical journals intended for the doctors only. It brings to the household important facts hidden from the people by medical technicalities. It deals in a popular way with such questions as vaccination, sanitary laws, cremation, dietary rules, and all druggish methods of healing disease.

During the past three months almost every leading daily paper throughout the United States and Canada has had something to say about Medical Talk, either editorially or in their magazine and book department. The opinions expressed have been of a most complimentary nature.

Sample copy sent free by the Medical Talk Publishing Co., Columbus, Ohio.

DINING CAR SERVICE.

Mobile & Ohio Reduces Time to St. Louis.

"The Mobile & Ohio Railroad is engaged in a commendable effort to annihilate space between this city and St. Louis, and, beginning Sunday, August 31st, it will materially shorten the time taken to traverse the distance between the two cities by way of Meridian. And this date, too, will mark the inauguration of the dining car service in its carts, on this line. This innovation will be a welcome one to travelers, who heretofore have been subjected to the abomination of taking their meals on the catch-as-catch-can plan at meal stations along the route. Passengers, by means of this new service, will be enabled to eat when they feel disposed, eat what they want at their leisure, and pay only for what they order, with a choice of anything in the gastronomic line from a cup of coffee to a dinner in courses.

These new dining cars, by the way, will be veritable palaces, fitted with every possible convenience known to modern railroad traffic. The decorations are of a superb order and the cars are brilliantly illuminated with incandescents, while a plentiful supply of electric fans will keep the atmosphere at a comfortable temperature, no matter how high the mercury may soar outside the cars.

M. & O. EXCURSIONS.

ST. LOUIS FAIR.

October 6, 11, 1902.
The Mobile & Ohio railroad will sell tickets for this occasion at rate of one fare for the round trip, allowing one week in St. Louis. Apply to M. & O. agents for tickets and information.

NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT O. A. R.

Washington, D. C. Oct. 6, 11, 1902.
For the above occasion the Mobile & Ohio railroad will sell tickets to Washington and return at about one cent per mile, which makes the rate exceedingly low. Limit allows nearly a month in Washington. Ask M. & O. agents for exact particulars.

LOW RATES TO CALIFORNIA AND THE NORTHWEST.

Via Mobile and Ohio Railroad.
One way second class colonists' and settlers' tickets will be sold daily during September and October to points in California and the West and Northwest. Ask M. & O. agents for particulars.

Texas, Oklahoma, and Indian Territory.
The Mobile & Ohio R. R. will sell homeseekers tickets to the above territory on October 7th, and 21st, at rate of one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip. For particulars apply to any M. & O. Agent, or write P. S. Hay, S. E. P. A., Montgomery, Ala.

SEPTEMBER WEDDINGS.

Means selections of appropriate bridal gifts. Our store is the Mecca of all those seeking wedding gifts. We have a variety of handsome old pieces in table silver, an exquisite line of toilet articles. Cut glass. Imported china, jewelry etc. Mail orders filled promptly. MAIER'S JEWELRY STORE, Aberdeen, Miss.

Mr. Will Gates spent Sunday in the city, the guest with his wife of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Chandler.

SOCIETY



And Local Affairs.

Miss Sadie Foster spent last week very pleasantly visiting friends in Memphis.

Mrs. Fannie Clark, of Shannon, is the guest for the winter of her daughter, Mrs. A. T. Stovall.

Rev. Mr. Leech has returned from his month's vacation, much improved by the change of scenery and pleasant recreation.

Among the visitors to the city last week was Mrs. Anna Reed, of Houlika, who was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Emma Sadtler.

Mrs. H. R. Moore returned to Palestine, Texas, the latter part of last week, after a visit of several weeks to relatives and friends in this city.

T. A. Stovall, E. J. Ezell and G. W. Cole went to Mobile Monday night as a committee from the Commercial Club to look after some railroad interests.

Circuit court convenes at Houston next Monday, and in this city on the third Monday in October. The criminal docket is exceedingly small in both districts.

Miss Mary Ezell left for Palestine, Texas last Thursday, with her aunt, Mrs. H. R. Moore. Miss Mary will spend the winter in Palestine, and will pursue a special course in English literature and several other studies. We wish Miss Mary a very happy and prosperous season in sunny Palestine.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union held their annual election last Tuesday. Delegates were elected also to the state convention which meets at Oxford the 8th of October. The delegates are Mrs. Parchman and Mrs. Trice; President, Mrs. Jennie Buchanan; First Vice President, Mrs. McDonald; Second Vice President, Mrs. M. Allen; Recording Secretary, Mrs. M. Richardson.

In some of the Swiss valleys the inhabitants are all afflicted with goitre, or "thick neck." Instead of regarding this as a deformity they seem to think it a natural feature of physical development, and tourists passing through the valleys are sometimes jeered by the goitrous inhabitants, because they are without this offensive swelling. Thus a form of disease may become so common that it is regarded as a natural and necessary condition of life. It is so, to a large extent, with what are called diseases of women. Every woman suffers more or less from irregularity, ulceration, debilitating drains, or female weakness, and this suffering is so common and so universal that many women accept it as a condition natural and necessary to their sex. But it is a condition as unnatural as it is unnecessary. The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription strengthens the delicate womanly organs and regulates the womanly functions, so that woman is practically delivered from the pain and misery which eat up ten years of her life—between the ages of fifteen and forty-five. "Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong and sick women well.

The Annual Convention of the Mississippi Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held at Oxford, October 8-12, opening services at 7:30 p. m. on the 8th. Mrs. Helen N. Stoddard, president of Texas W. C. T. U., and Mrs. Mary Telford Jewett, ex-president of Colorado Union, will be distinguished speakers of the occasion. Prof. B. G. Lowrey, the famous president of Blue Mountain College, will speak the evening of the 8th on "The Saloon, the Citizen and the State." Rev. W. G. Hasbain, of Holly Springs, will deliver the convention sermon on Sunday, October 12, at 11 a. m. This young New Century Knight has already won his spurs in the pulpit and in progressive movements. This convention will be one of the most important and interesting temperance meetings ever held in the state. At 2:30 p. m. on October 11, in conjunction with the convention, there will be a conference of leading prohibitionists from over the state, at which plans vital to the future of Mississippi will be matured.

E. H. Brown

This signature is on every box of the genuine
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets
the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

The history of the industrial changes which have of late been occurring with such rapidity is to be found in its most interesting form in the careers of the "Captains of Industry" now before the public in connection with the larger interests of production, transportation and finance. A knowledge of these men, their derivation, their leading characteristics, weaknesses and abilities throws much light upon the news of the day in which their names constantly recur. In making the effort to present a fairly complete series of studies of these men the Cosmopolitan Magazine has furnished the public with one of the most interesting series ever published. In the October number H. C. Frick, Cyrus H. K. Curtis, David H. Moffat, Woodrow Wilson and H. H. Vreeland furnish interesting studies.

A JUDGE'S WIFE

CURED OF PELVIC CATARRH.

She Suffered for Years and Felt Her Case Was Hopeless—Cured by Pe-ru-na.

Mrs. Judge McAllister writes from 1217 West 3rd St., Minneapolis, Minn., as follows:

"I suffered for years with a pain in the small of my back and right side. It interfered often with my domestic and social duties and I never supposed that I would be cured, as the doctor's medicine did not seem to help me any.

"Fortunately a member of our Order advised me to try Peruna and gave it such high praise that I decided to try it. Although I started in with little faith, I felt so much better in a week that I felt encouraged.

"I took it faithfully for seven weeks and am happy indeed to be able to say that I am entirely cured. Words fail to express my gratitude. Perfect health once more is the best thing I could wish for, and thanks to Peruna I enjoy that now."—MINNIE E. McALLISTER.

What used to be called female diseases by the medical profession is now called pelvic catarrh. It has been found by experience that catarrhal diseases of the pelvic organs are the cause of most cases of female disease.

Dr. Hartman was among the first of America's great physicians to make this discovery. For forty years he has been treating diseases peculiar to women, and long ago he reached the conclusion that a woman entirely free from catarrhal affection of these organs would not be subject to female disease. He therefore began using Peruna for these cases and found it so admirably adapted to their permanent cure that Peruna has now become the most famous remedy for female disease ever known. Everywhere the women are using it and praising it. Peruna is not a palliative simply; it cures by removing the cause of female disease.

Dr. Hartman has probably cured more women of female ailments than any other living physician. He makes these cases simply by using and recommending Peruna.

Miss Phoebe Cary Sheffield, writes from Seguin, Texas, as follows:

"I have followed your directions and treatment, and will always thank you for your kindness. Your medicine is the only medicine that gave me relief from heavy pains in my chest, on account of which I could hardly rest at night. Several of my friends thought I would go into consumption. I now think I am well, but will always have a bottle of Peruna in the house. I think Peruna is the best medicine in the world, for I went to my home doctors and they never did me any good, but when I took your medicine it did me all the good in the world. I have recommended your wonderful treatment to my friends. Since I have taken Peruna I look like a new woman."—Miss P. C. Sheffield.

Mrs. William Kenning, Mt. Clemens, Mich., writes:

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A Cough

"I have made a most thorough trial of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and am prepared to say that for all diseases of the lungs it never disappoints."

J. Early Finley, Ironton, O.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral won't cure rheumatism; we never said it would. It won't cure dyspepsia; we never claimed it. But it will cure coughs and colds of all kinds. We first said this sixty years ago; we've been saying it ever since.

Three sizes: 25c, 50c, \$1. All druggists.